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For: Illumination System Particularly for EUV Lithography

Enclosed are:

- xxx Total pages 59 including: Specification (47 pps); Claims (11 pps);
Abstract (1 pp);
- xxx 25 sheets of drawings;
- xxx Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- xxx An Assignment of the Invention to: CARL-ZEISS-STIFTUNG TRADING AS
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- xxx Form-PTO-1449;
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Priority of application Serial No. 299 02 108. 4 filed on February 8, 1999,
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- xxx Priority document enclosed.

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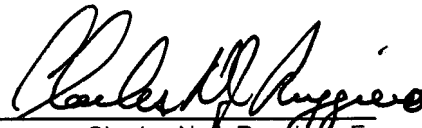
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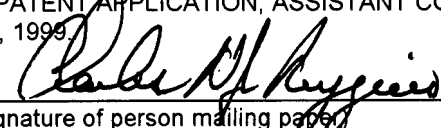


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